

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer No.: 53080
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Naoto YUMIKI, et al.	:	Confirmation No.: 9550
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Application No.: 10/587,575	:	Group Art Unit: 2862
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Filed: May 25, 2007	:	Examiner: Linda B. Smith
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For: LENS BARREL AND IMAGING DEVICE PROVIDED WITH LENS BARREL, AND ASSEMBLY METHOD OF LENS BARREL		

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 9, 2009, wherein a three-month shortened statutory period for response is set to expire on September 9, 2009, a petition for two month extension of time is filed together with this document (now the due date for the response is November 9, 2009), Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.